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Mr. James M. Frey  
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Washington, D. C. 20503

Dear Mr. Frey:

This is in response to your request for this Agency's views and recommendations on Enrolled Bill H.R. 12438, the Department of Defense Appropriation Authorization Act, 1977.

The only item of direct interest to this Agency is Section 801 of the Enrolled Bill which repeals the so-called 1 per centum add-on provision of annuities paid under the Central Intelligence Agency Retirement Act of 1964 for Certain Employees (78 Stat. 1043; 50 U.S.C. 403 note). Section 801 reflects this Agency's understanding that said repeal of the "1 percent kicker" becomes effective only on repeal of such provision under Chapter 83 of Title 5, United States Code, affecting Civil Service annuitants, and is supported by this Agency.

Sincerely,

/s/ George Bush

George Bush  
Director

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10. (Unclassified - RLB) LIAISON Spoke with Mildred Wood, on the staff of Representative Charles A. Mosher (R., Ohio), as per her request, to inform her as to Agency regulations on hiring former members of the Peace Corps, Vista, and Action.

11. (Unclassified - RLB) LEGISLATION Spoke with Quentin Crommelin, on the staff of Senator Russell B. Long (D., La.), to inquire as to the status of S. 3572, introduced by the Senator, which would prohibit aliens from employment in the Federal competitive service. Mr. Crommelin said that he would be happy to take under consideration any problems we might have with the bill and promised to inform me if the Senator intended swift action on his bill. I told Crommelin that I would have our personnel staff review the bill and let him know if it would have any potential effect on the Agency.

12. (Unclassified - RLB) LIAISON Spoke with Dick Lieberman, Senate Appropriations Committee staff, in an effort to resolve the problem involving GAO efforts to obtain certain intelligence community publications related to chemical warfare. It was agreed that further inquiries were needed before a definite resolution of the problem could be formulated.

13. (Unclassified - NDL) LIAISON Took a call from Jim McPherson, on the staff of Senator Stuart Symington (D., Mo.), who requested a copy of the USSR Agriculture Atlas. I told him one would be sent to him today.

14. (Unclassified - NDL) LIAISON Spoke with Lynn Bagley, in the San Rafael district office of Representative John L. Burton (D., Calif.). She asked for two copies each of the Agency publications entitled "Potential Implications of Trends in World Population, Food Production, and Climate" and "A Study of Climatological Research as it Pertains to Intelligence Problems." I told her copies would be sent to her today.

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